

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (Nellayi): May I know the number of houses totally destroyed?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu (Diwan Peishkar): I have got a statement setting forth the number of houses completely damaged, and partly damaged. They are altogether 50,000.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (Nellayi): May I know what is the amount of damage done to crops?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu (Diwan Peishkar): We have got the total loss on account of all kind of damage to be a little above a crore.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (Nellayi): Damage was done to property worth little more than a crore!

**CYCLONE RELIEF MEASURES—APPLICATIONS FOR LOANS
FOR AGRICULTURAL IMPROVEMENTS**

64. Mr. A. V. Moothedan (Chalakkudi): Will Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the number of applications received from

(i) Melur village, (ii) Pariyaram village for agriculturists improvements loans from persons who have suffered loss by the cyclone;

(b) what is the total amount required by the applicants from each of these villages;

(c) has any loan been disbursed so far?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu (Diwan Peishkar):

(a)	(i) Melur village	205
	(ii) Pariyaram village	93

(b)	Melur	Rs. 14,119
	Pariyaram	Rs. 7,065

(c) No.

PORAMBOKE IN CHERUTHURUTHI—AUCTION OF

65. Mr. K. R. Viswambharan (Ezhuvas-Talappalli): Will Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether any Poramboke land in Cheruthuruthy village, Talappalli Taluk, was put up for auction in 1117;

(b) if answer to (a) is in the negative, is there any proposal to put up such lands in the above-mentioned village for auction;

- (c) whether any Gazette Notification has been made in the matter?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu (*Diwan Peishkar*):

(a) No.

(b) Lands relinquished by the Railway Company have to be disposed of. Several applications have been received for assignment of some of them. The Tahsildar has been asked to report as to how each item has to be disposed of. His report has not yet been received.

(c) No.

Mr. T. A. Ramachandra Ayyar (*Nellayi*): When were these lands relinquished by the company?

Mr. A. Madhava Prabhu (*Diwan Peishkar*): After the Broad Gauge was opened. All the lands have not been relinquished. They are relinquishing them part by part. The whole thing is not yet over.

INSTITUTE FOR DEAF AND DUMB, KUNNAMKULAM

66. Mr. C. R. Iyyunni (*Trichur-South*): Will Government be pleased to state.—

- (a) whether there is an institute for the Deaf and Dumb in Kunnamkulam;
- (b) who is the proprietor of the school or the persons who are in actual management of the same;
- (c) how many defectives are in the institute;
- (d) what is the kind of training imparted to them;
- (e) how many teachers are employed in the institute;
- (f) are they whole-time teachers;
- (g) what are their names and their salaries;
- (h) whether the Government give any kind of help to it?

Rao Sahib I. N. Menon (*Director of Public Instruction*):

- (a) Yes.
- (b) Mr. K. T. Mathew is the Manager.
- (c) 13.
- (d) Training in (1) Reading and writing, (2) Speech (using no language of signs or finger spelling) (3) Lip reading, (4) Agriculture, (5) Industries such as weaving, basketry, needle-work and tailoring,